

The park is located  
in Chester and Hardeman  
Counties, 18 miles south of  
Jackson, Tennessee on Hwy 100.



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#### Hours of Operation:

8:00 a.m. until 10:00 p.m., year-round / Camper quiet time is 10:00 p.m.

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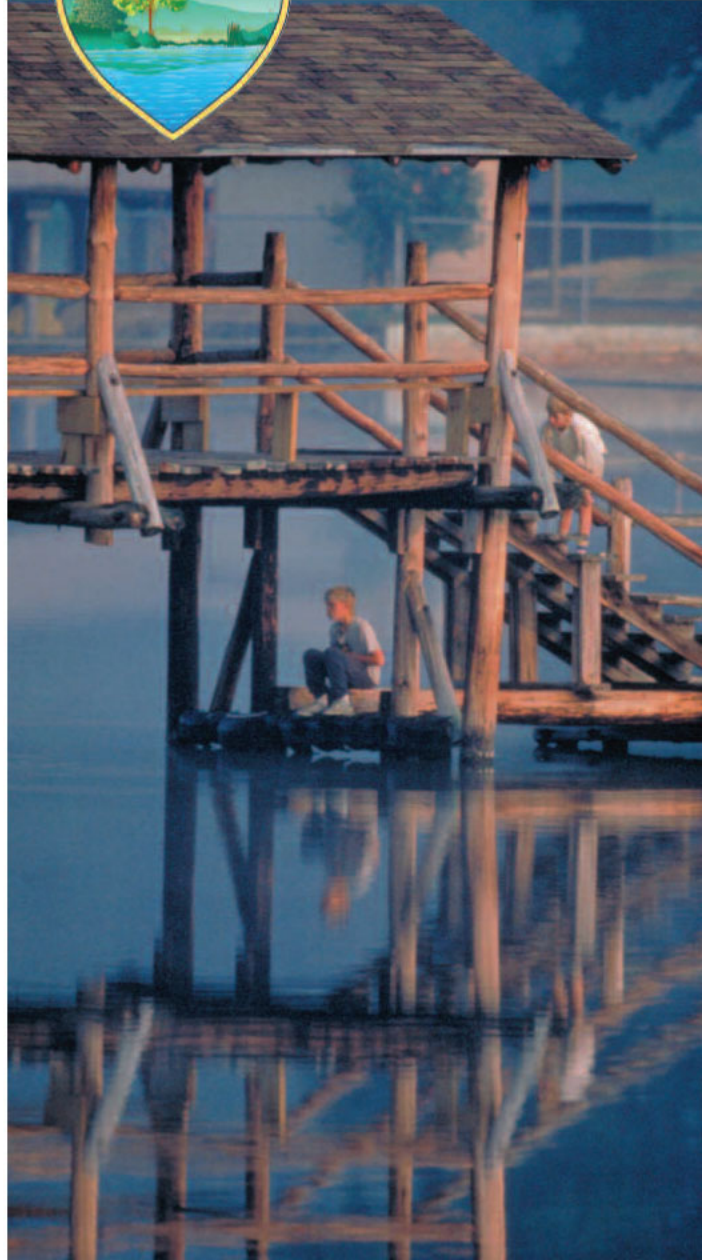
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#### Annual Events

Frontier Day Celebration, June / Christmas Lighting of the Park, December

# TENNESSEE STATE PARKS CHICKASAW STATE PARK



## Chickasaw State Park

takes its name from the Chickasaw tribe of historic Native Americans. They used this area and all of West Tennessee as their hunting grounds up until their removal in 1837. Chickasaw State Park began in 1934 as a federally funded cooperation among the Works Progress Administration, the Civilian Conservation Corps, and the Resettlement Administration. Before being purchased by the federal government, this land had become a wasteland due to the strain of poor farming practices and irresponsible logging. The land came under the management of the State of Tennessee in 1939.

## Cabins

Chickasaw offers 13 "AA" vacation cabins that sleep either 4 or 6 persons. Reservations are accepted up to one year in advance.

## Meeting Rooms

Sagamore Lodge is an historic building that is utilized as a meeting facility. The building will seat 100 people. The building is popular for weddings, meetings, and reunions.

## Restaurant

The park's 100-seat restaurant offers excellent Southern cuisine. It is open year-round on Thursday and Friday evenings and all day Saturday and Sunday. Call (731) 989-6807 for information.

## Camping

Chickasaw State Park has 30 tent campsites and 50 RV campsites. Water is available at each tent campsite and water and electricity are available at each RV campsite. No reservations taken, all camping sites are first-come first-serve.

## Wrangler Camp

The Wrangler Campground has 31 sites with water and electrical hookups. Dump station is available in the RV Campground. No reservations taken, campsites are first-come first-serve.

## Group Camp

The Lake LaJoie Group Camp will accommodate 131 people in rustic cabins. The group camp is closed from November through March.

## Group Lodge

The Group Lodge facility accommodates 40 people. This facility is open year-round.

## Gift Shop

T-shirts, caps, coffee mugs, and hiking sticks are a few of the items available at the gift shop in the park office.

## Picnic Pavilions and Playgrounds

There are several picnic areas and pavilions available at the park. A limited number of pavilions can be reserved while the rest are first-come first-serve.

## Boating

Private boats are not allowed on Lake Placid. Paddleboats are available for rent daily during the summer. Fishing boats may be rented year-round from the boathouse or park office. You may bring your own electric trolling motor.

## Fishing

Fishing is available year-round at the park. A Tennessee Fishing License is required for adults under 65 years of age. Licenses and bait are available nearby.

## Hiking

Over 4 miles of hiking trails ranging from easy to moderate are available. Trail maps may be obtained at the park office.

## Planned Programs

Games, arts and crafts, campfire programs and guided hikes are available in the summer months.

## Swimming

The park swim beach is open from Memorial Day through Labor Day.

## Horse Stables

Horses are available for rent from the park stables. Children under 9 years of age may not ride on the trail.

## Bear Trace Golf Course

Opened in the spring of 2000, this heavily wooded, 18-hole, 7,118-yard, par 72 provides a scenic and challenging round of golf. For more information and tee times, call (888) 944-2327.

